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In re Patent Application of) Attorney Docket No.: ASAIN0191
Yasushi DODO et al.) Confirmation No.: 6505
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For: PANEL CARRYING DEVICE) Date: June 15, 2009

COMMENTS (D) ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed March 16, 2009, please enter the following comments regarding the application identified above as follows:

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REMARKS

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed March 16, 2009, Applicants make the

following Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance presented by the Examiner in

the Office Action of December 4, 2008, at 3, lines 1-4. The Examiner's Reasons for

Allowance deviates from the language of the allowed claims. Therefore, to the extent that the

Examiner's Reasons for Allowance mischaracterize the allowed claims 1-4, 6, 7 and 10-14,

Applicants object. The claims, as written, speak for themselves. Applicants agree that the

claimed invention would not have been obvious at the time the invention was made, and that no

prima facie showing of anticipation or obviousness could be made in view of the prior art of

record.

Questions are welcomed by the below-signed attorney for Applicants.

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